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Subject Avery Landing Draft EE/CA Support Plans

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Earl,

Please find attached the revised work plans for the Avery Landing (four hardcopies are being sent via overnight mail as well). These plans include most of the changes requested by EPA that were submitted in writing and discussed over the phone. Two changes were not made:

1. The list of analytes has not been expanded beyond those agreed upon in the approved EE/CA Work Plan.
2. We do not agree that CLP-equivalent supporting materials are needed as a routine matter. Therefore, we have proposed to get this information, if needed, during the analysis and write-up of the investigation.

To Potlatch, both of these points are a matter of principle. The EE/CA Work Plan, as approved by EPA, specifically addressed the analytes to be examined. To expand that list now is inappropriate, is not warranted by site conditions and creates an undue financial burden for Potlatch. Our consultant estimates the increased costs at \$40,000. With respect to CLP materials, this is again a financial burden. Our consultant estimates the increased cost at approximately 10% for the chemical analysis.

Potlatch is committed to moving through this process in a timely and orderly fashion. We believe this is EPA's desire and expectation as well. To meet this goal, Potlatch simply must have confidence that completed and approved work, including the time and money invested, are respected moving forward. In these challenging financial times, Potlatch must be able to budget and execute this work with confidence and frugality.

Please do not hesitate to contact me for any further discussion. We are looking forward to promptly finalizing these work plans so that the field work can begin.

Thanks,

Terry

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